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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that a two-month extension of time be granted in which to respond to the outstanding Final Office Action mailed August 9, 2005, said period of response being extended from November 9, 2005 to January 9, 2006.

Our check in the amount of \$1240.00 is enclosed which covers the required extension fee for a large entity. Please apply any other charges or credits to Deposit Account No. 50-1778.

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